

U.S. Virgin Islands At A Glance

The 512th Transportation Detachment was activated in April of 2009 and on Jan. 26, 2010, the detachment was mobilized in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation New Dawn. At Joint Base Balad, the 512th Movement Control Team was in charge of supporting one of the biggest transportation and logistical operations in Iraq.



The 512th manned the convoy support center, the cargo validation and assignment area as well as conducted contracting officer representative responsibilities. They also oversaw and supported sustainment convoys according to U.S. Forces-Iraq priorities, all while assisting other units and fellow Soldiers to support the overall operational and logistical effort.

The 512th MCT recently deployed to Afghanistan. The team's duties include tracking and manifesting convoys and scheduling and securing modes of transportation for personnel and equipment.

The 512th also coordinates and labels cargo and freight shipments as well as training Afghanistan Army personnel on logistic operations.

Most of 512th Soldiers are either from St. Thomas or St. Croix but also include Soldiers from St. John and Puerto Rico.

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FACILITIES

1

UNITS/DETS

21

SOLDIERS

0

CIVILIANS

VI CAPABILITIES

TRANSPORTATION

BY THE
NUMBERS



\$404,907

ECONOMIC IMPACT

1

NON-DOD JOBS SUPPORTED

\$34,795

NON-DOD WAGES

\$617,584

DOLLARS SPENT

\$449,000

TOTAL MIL PAYROLL

\$87,584

TOTAL CIV PAYROLL